COMING OF THE NEW-YORK YACHT CLUB FLEET AN IMPORTANT INCIDENT.

THE COACHING PARADE, THE TENNIS TOURNA MENT AND THE OPEN AIR HORSE SHOW TO

BE FEATURES OF THE REST OF THE SEASON.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 5 (Special) -It is the beginning of the rush. It always comes here with the advent of August. The announcement of three big yacht races this week, even though one of them proved a failure and another was declared off, served to bring together a good fleet of pleasure craft and a large gathering of yachting people and make things lively socially on the water as well as ashore. These will be materially increased next week, when the trim craft of the New-York Yacht Club in numbers probably unprecedented arrive There will this year be no illumination and water fête, but the squadron is to remain here much longer than usual-nearly a week, including the run to Vineyard Haven and back. Monday of the fleet's stay is set for the big race for the Astor cups, which now takes the place of the old Goelet Cup contests, and on that day the entire squadron, with everybody else who can manage to do so, will go out by sea or land to witness the start of this great vachting contest.

Soon after the close of the yachting fortnight though the date is not yet assigned-will probably come another big society affair, the annual coaching parade. Then will come the National championship lawn tennis tournament, with its daily parade and shifting panorama of players and spectators, filling a whole week, and then a fortnight of pole for championship cups. There are in the air rumors of an automobile parade, which the present and growing popularity of these new vehicles would seem to make more than a possibility, and to close the season the outdoor Horse Show in September is assured.

Besides all these, there will also be golf contests, yacht races by the 30-footers until far into the fall, court and "squash" tennis, the semi-weekly dances and concerts at the Casino, scores of private entertainments, big and little, and, to crown all these festivities, at least two or three elaborate fashionable weddings. From present indications, time is little likely to hang heavy on the hands of anybody in Newport for a month to come, and August this year bids fair to rival the most brilliant month of past successful seasons.

The automobile is certainly the reigning fad of the season. Not alone for pleasure, but for convenience and for practical purposes, has it entered into the daily life of the summer people, and many a fine horse will this season chafe in his stall for lack of exercise. So great, indeed, is the rage for these vehicles that it has been found impossible to keep the supply equal to the demand upon the manu acturers and dealers, and a "waiting list," established some time ago, is steadily increasing in length. The automobile gown, the creation of fashionable costumers to meet the emergency, is already to be seen on the avenue and the drives: automobile races are on, an automobile club is talked of, and an automobile parade, with prizes for the best decorated machine and the most skilful driver, is likely soon to be announced as an Among the women who are expert in the manage

ment of these horseless carriages are Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs, Miss Daisy Post, Mrs. John R. Drexel, Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, jr., Mrs. Arthur T. Kemp, Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, Mrs. George B. De Forest, Mrs. Whitney Warren and Mrs. Stuy vesant Fish, while the men skilled in their use include William R. Travers, Reginald Norman, Max Norman, George L. Scott, H. Roger Winthrop, Reginald Vanderbilt, A. T. Kemp, H. H. Hunnewell, jr., W. K. Vanderbiit, jr., Henry R. Taylor, F. M. Davies and H. P. Whitney. The revival of the hare and hounds, or paper chase, as a sporting novelty by the younger element

recalls an interesting bit of history regarding the rise and decline of the fox hunt in and about Newport. These hunts started nearly a score of years ago, took society fairly by storm, and were decidedly the most popular feature of several successive seasons until the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals interfered and comselled the withdrawal of the Hamlet from the play. With the real, live fox thus interdicted, hunts after the anise seed bag were substituted for a time, the release of a fox at the end of the trail serving in a measure to maintain the appearance and excitement of the genuine hunt. Then these contests became practically only cross country runs, without even the subterfuge of a fox at the finish, and now, after an entire disappearance for several Nears, they spring up again in the guise of paper chases, without even the name of fox or hunt connect them with the contests of long ago. Under their new title they sound much more tame, but give equally good opportunities for hard riding and high jumping as they did under their old time liation and with veritable foxes or convenient anise bags to show the way.

Friday's open air reception and lawn party in Henderson, of Iowa, was one of the largest ever given in this city and the biggest affair of the

given in this city and the biggest affair of the present season. Many invitations were issued, and the liberal orders to decorators, florists and caterers put all the appointments on an elaborate scale. The Wetmores are known as good entertainers and have at Chateau-sur-Mer ample facilities to make any gathering a brilliant success.

A novelty on the water here this year is the South Sea proa, built and sailed by Lieutenant H. L. Willoughby, after the model of the craft used in those far off isler. He had it out for practice this week, skipping about in the harbors in an astonishing way. Though disguised in a coat of white paint and looking much out of place amid its unaccustomed surroundings, the novel craft was readily recognized by the officers and men of the North Atlantic Squadron as a genuine dugout of the South Pacific seas, and its workings were watched by them with perhaps more interest than by those who had never seen such boats in their native waters.

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The sale this week of the Tooker property, at Touro and Kay sts., to be used probably for professional and semi-business purposes, marks the passing of an estate which was formerly the scene of many a brilliant social gathering, but which for several years had been unoccupied and deserted. It was too far north and out of the centre of the fashionable life of the summer colony.

At the Newport Golf Club's annual meeting Buchanan Winthrop was re-elected president; R. I. Gammell, secretary and treasurer, and John Bott, Victor Sorchan, Arthur T. Kemp and George Peabody Wetmore governors for two years.

Included in a draft of apprentice boys received at the training station here this week from New-York was Petro Urizar, a fourteen years old boy who was a bugler on the Vizcaya, of Admiral Cervera's fleet, in the recent Spanish War. Anxious to Join the American Navy, though he was a trifle young, special permission was secured for him, and he is now duly enlisted.

The newest thing in tennis circles, the "squash" court at the Casino, has been completed, and the waiting lists of those who are anxious to try their hand at this novel sport are long and growing longer.

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Reginald Tower is in charge of the British Embassy, which has been established here in the Newman cottage, and the secretaries are W. G. Max Muller and Humphrey Owen.

Among the cottage arrivals of the week, which are not many at this late period in the season, are Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Allen, at the Hone cottage, Beach-st; Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Stitt, Pelham-st, and Bellevue-ave; Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer, who have just returned from Europe. W. W. Tompkins, at the Ashhurst cottage, Bellevue-ave, recently purchased by him; Clarence H. Mackay, back from his brief trip abroad, and Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Gebhard. Other arrivals in Clude George Griswold, Fernando Yanaga, Goold Hoyt, Harry Lehr, Robert B. Potter, Dwight Braman, Franklin A. Plummer, R. G. Hone and H. L. Herbert, president of the polo association. Count R. Luzzette of Italy is visiting the Marquis de San Vito, at the Fadden cottage. Mrs. Florence Howe Hall is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, at Oak Glen. Mr. and Mrs. Wright are guests of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Eustis: Mr. and Mrs. Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Van Rensselaer and Schuyler Hamilton, fr., of Mr. and Mrs. A. Llvingston Mason; Columbus C. Baldwin, of Harry Payne Whitney; Miss Marie De Neufville, of Mrs. Louis Q. Jones; Chester Griswold, of Mr. and Mrs. Pembroke Jones; John S. Tooker, of Hollis Hunnewell; R. L. Cutting, of I. Townsend Burden; Mrs. George Hoffman, of her father, John W. Ellis, and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Potter, of Mrs. T. A. Havemeyer.

CELEBRATION AT SHARON SPRINGS.

Sharon Springs, N. Y., Aug. 5 (Special).-The great event of the season at Sharon took place on Tuesday. Although held in August, it was, in fact, a genuine old fashioned country Fourth of July celebration, with all the usual accompaniments of brass bands, fire companies, speeches, races, fireworks, etc. To the city visitors, however, the great attraction was the crowd which gathered from the country for fifty miles around. Other resorts en-tertain their visitors with floral and coaching of these give half the pleasure to the city man or woman that a genuine country crowd affords.

There are a number of Southerners at the Pavilion this year. Forty years ago the Southern olony was one of the largest at Sharon, but of lete few from the South have visited here.

Among the speakers at the Sharon House cele-vation on Tuesday night were Judge McCarthy, of

NEWPORT FULL OF GAYETY | Nillth District, of New-York. The Democratic leader of the Assembly, George Palmer, of Scho-

leader of the Assembly, George Palmer, of Schoharle, also spoke.
Captain Charles Kevlin, head of the Chapman
Derrick Company, is at the Eldredge House.
Vincent Voytisek, Mr. Croker's counsel, has
joined the Tammany contingent at Sharon.
Owing to the unusual activity of business this
summer, city men are making short visits at
Sharon. The railroad facilities are excellent,
enabling them to run back and forth with little
loss of time.
Late arrivals at the Pavilion include the following New-Yorkers: Dr. Thomas Ulity, Mrs. Thomas
Caden, E. Schofield, Sanford Adler, Mrs. Breese,
David Newark, Mrs. C. Livingston, Mrs. B. Friedman, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Cohn and Mr. Hagaman, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Cohn and Mr. Hagaman.

IN THE BERKSHIRES.

LENOX COTTAGERS GO TO SEASHORE RE-BORTS-THE WEEK AT STOCKBRIDGE.

Lenox, Mass., Aug. 5 (Special).-It is just about midseason at Lenox. Many of the cottagers and their guests have gone to the shore for two weeks re, and the stay-at-homes are living quietly in the interval, resting for the opening of the gay fall season and the round of festivities that follows the advent of September. The only amusements of the week have been the contests on the golf field, the boating in the stiff breeze on Lake Mahkeenac, a picuic party to Icy Glen, and the Tuesday evening dance at the hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Giraud Foster have gone to Bar Harbor to attend the wedding of a friend. The Misses Clementine and Sophia Furniss, of New-York, who have been at their place, Edgecomb, for the last two months, have gone to New-

port for a few weeks. Egmont Schermerhorn and sfamily, of New-York, have arrived at their country place, after

an absence of three years. They will remain throughout the season. and Mrs. W. H. Cooper, of New-York, who occupied Bonnie Brae last season, are at High-

wood, the Bullard place. Anson Phelps Stokes, jr., Baroness Halkett and Helen Phelps Stokes arrived in Lenox last week, and are at Shadowbrook. They will remain in Lenox for the rest of the season

F. P. Kinnicutt, jr., of New-York, has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sloane, at Elm Court, Commodore S. N. Kane, of New-York, has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John I. Kane, at Wynn-

Egerton Winthrop, of New-York, has been a guest of J. Woodward Haven the last week. Samuel D. Babcock, of New-York, has returned

from Newport, where he has been for a week or

more.

F. Augustus Schermerhorn, who has been a guest of Mrs. Richard Auchmuty, has gone to Newport to meet his yacht, preparatory for a cruise along the North Atlantic seashore.

The week at Stockbridge has been interesting. Golf has had full sway, and there has been a great influx of visitors to the hotels. Some of the week's arrivals were Dr. and Mrs. H. Meyer, Miss Mararrivals were Dr. and Mrs. H. Meyer, Miss Margaret Meyer, of New-York; John W. Marvin, of New-Recheller, J. S. Chapin, of Boston, and Professor Henry W. Farnum, of New-York.

Professor Farnum came up from New-York to look over the fine country place which he has recently purchased near ley Glen. He is to begin soon the erection of a country home on his property.

the Continent.

The late arrivals at Red Lion Inn are Mr. and re. Henry A. Powell, Miss Danforth, Miss Relie anforth, Mrs. F. E. Fairchild, Henry V. Fitch and Allen M. Thomas.

New-Mariboro, Mass., Aug. 5 (Special).-This little village, nestled in the Berkshires, a few miles from the railway stations of Great Barrington and Cathe railway stations of Great Barrington and Ca-naan, is filled with New-York and Connecticut peo-ple, who come here every year for their summer outlings. Lakes Buel and Garfield are filled every day (except Sunday) with fishing parties, who re-turn home with long strings of bass and pickerel. At the Woodlawr there was given a parior con-cert by some of the guests on Friday evening, to which cottagers and others were invited in this wire:

Come hither, come hither, ye fair companie.
Woodlawners and others from out this countrie.
To Woodlawn's grand parlor, and there ye shall see
Of singers and players a small galaxie.
Who'll give you a concert. There's no entrance fee.

Of sinces and players a small grade.

Who'll give you a concert. There's no entrance fee.

They came, and "heard the plano belabored and beat," followed by "Agony two, a simple and beat tiful song," then "a coon song, that brought the house down" "to the end of the string," when there was "a howl and a fling." Among the guests are Mrs. John Voorhis and Mrs. H. J. Cook, of New-York, Mrs. Thomas J. Lewis, wife of Captain Lewis, of the Army; Converse R. Lewis, Miss. Janet S. Hunting, of Hartford, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. Janet S. Hunting, of Hartford, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Russell, of London, Mrs. Nathan H. Barnes, the Misses E. Maria and Florence E. Barnes, Mrs. Mucklow, Mrs. Rena M. Hasson and "Teddy" Basson, all of Hartford Mrs. J. N. Lockhart, Mrs. L. Marion Lockhart and Miss Ida Annie Strange, of Mount Vernon, N. Y. Mrs. Henry E. Strange, of Mount Vernon, N. Y. Mrs. Henry E. Rhondes, the Rev. Winfred C. Rhoades, the Misses Elizabeth, Katherine M. and Gertrude Huthe and John C. and Robert W. Hume, from Bombay, India.

AMONG THE PEQUOT COLONY.

MAKING READY FOR THE WEEK'S CAR-NIVAL-A FANCY PAPER MAS-QUERADE BALL.

New-London, Conn., Aug. 5 (Special).-All week connection with the visit here of Congressman the booming of cannon has heralded the arrival of yachts, gay in color, smart women and picturesque seamen, eager for next week's carnival, when the most brilliant fleet in the history of the New-York Yacht Club will anchor in the Thames. On Monday evening the waiters of the Pequot began a week of joility by a cakewalk. Dr. Apple-ton, of Boston; P. D. Appleton, of Washington; Edward White and F. A. Haight, of New-York, were the judges.

The event of the season was a fancy paper masquerade ball at Fort Griswold. It was under the auspices of the Woman's Entertainment Commitof which Mrs. Colonel Frederick De Funiak is chairman, assisted by Mrs. H. V. Lester, Chicago; Mrs. James L. Libby, Mrs. W. D. Lewis, New-York; Mrs. C. R. Forrest Mrs. Hooker, Hartford; D. Kirby, Paris, and Mrs. Boston. First prize was awarded to Miss Libby's picturesque impersonation of Marie Antoinette; second prize to Miss Praher, while the oddest costume, made of paper pictorial handkerchiefs, was worn by Miss Smith, of Philadelphia. The judges were Richard Mansfield, Colonel De Funiak and D. Kirby.

Paul Lelecster Ford arrived at Fort Griswold on Wednesday, where he will be the guest of Richard Mansfield until he sails for Europe.

Mrs. N. Simpkins, of New-York, entertained the Pequot colony Saturday afternoon with a floral bicycle parade. Fourteen entered the contest. The run was from the Casino to the lighthouse. First prize was given to Mrs. Elvon Clarke, of New-York. Her wheel was festooned in pink ribbons and white phlox blossoms, and of the same color scheme was her gown, while she held over her head a white crinkled paper parasol with floral and ribbon decoration. Sunflowers and blue hydrangeas decked the wheels of Miss Bond, the second winner, and Mrs. Dinsmore, who occupies this season the Rhinelander cottage. The judges were Dr. Appleton, Clarence Dinsmore, Mr. Simpkins and Mr. Perkins. Tea followed at the Casino. Tonight a german at Fort Griswold brought guests from the Pequot and cottages at Western and Eastern points.

A cakewalk, open to anybody in costume, is a novelty in the bailroom of Colonel Tyler's mansion in Pequot-ave, which divides attention tonight with the third subscription dance at the Casino.

This has been children's week at Eastern Point. Paul Leicester Ford arrived at Fort Griswold on

asino. This has been children's week at Eastern Point. he birthday of the twin daughters of Dr. Seneca owell was celebrated on Monday with a party, and on Thursday night at Fort Griswold, Clinton urgess told the stories "made up" by his brother, elett Burgess, and familiar to readers of "St.

icnoias. How large a part music plays in life at the Pequot How large a part music plays in life at the Pequot may be gleaned from the repertory of the orchestral leader, William H. Seyfried. He furnishes, as he has for many seasons, three programmes daily. In selection and execution the music is so far above that of the average summer resort that people come from far and near to hear it. Last year the orchestra played more than eleven hundred selections, besides dance music.

The latest New-York arrivals at the Pequot include Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Waller, T. H. Gossett, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis L. Delafield, Mr. and Mrs. John Murray Mitchell, E. Augustus Willard, Mr. and Mrs. David Bank Sickle, W. W. Beilinger, William C. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Underhill, George F. Garr, A. L. Bell, Thomas McKellar and Gardner C. Teall.

THE WEEK AT THE WATER GAP.

Delaware Water Gap, Penn., Aug. 5 (Special) .-Mr. and Mrs. Parker gave a dinner at their cot-tage last Tuesday to friends that arrived from New-York by tally-ho.

There was a delightful lawn party at the Grove Cottage on Monday afternoon, at which thirty-six young persons were the guests. In the evening a game of progressive euchre for prizes was played The winners were: First woman's prize, a gold stickpin, Mrs. Alden; second prize, pair sliver link cuffbuttons, Miss Sinclair; third prize, copy of "David Harum," Mrs. Denton; first men's prize, pair gold cuffbuttons, Mr. Chilton; second prize, silver scarfpin, Mr. McCall, and third prize, half

dozen wash ties, Mr. Brayton.

Arrivals for the week include Captain Brundage, Miss Riley, Mr. and Mrs. J. Pancoast, Mrs. C. A. Swan, B. C. Greenfield, Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Cairns, the Misses Cairns, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Trimble, Captain George E. Kittle, Mrs. M. Kittle, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Strange, George Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. A. De Foe.

John Ringle, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Purse, Miss Purse, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Denney, Miss E. Denney, Miss L. Denney, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McClane, and H. P. Dennison, of New-York, and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. G. Nesbith, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Asher, the Rev. P. Mahoney and Mrs. G. St. John, of Brooklyn.

IN THE WHITE MOUNTAINS.

TRAINS UNABLE TO ACCOMMODATE THE CROWDS OF GUESTS.

Jefferson, N. H., Aug. 5 (Special).-According to many who have watched and compared resort business during many summers in the White Mountains, the week just closing has been a record breaker in point of arrivals. Tuesday, the first day of the month, was the great day, and train schedules gave way before the crowds of fugitives

Inter-resort golf tournaments are coming to be the hief entertainment all through the mountains, but baseball, tennis and croquet still have their supporters by day, while all hands flock to the music room affairs in the evenings. At the Sinclair House hop, in Bethlehem,

Saturday evening, Mrs. George R. Crawford, Miss Henderson and Miss Heffernan, of New-York, were among the women on the floor, while at a similar affair at the Intervale House, on the same evening, Mrs. I. C. Shaylor and Miss Tobias, of New-York, were present.

Bethlehem is deep in preparation for its centennial celebration, which is to be observed on September 14, and a long list of general and special committees has just been appointed. Yorkers who have recently come to the various hotels of the place are Mrs. Rebecca A. Grieg. Mr. and Mrs. George R. Crawford, Miss N. D. Secord, Miss Emma Paul, Miss Grace Giberson, Miss Annie V. Kelley, Miss Lillian L. Eustace, Miss Mamie F. Walsh, Miss Emma F. Kelley, Miss Mary E. Grogan, Mrs. R. H. Chamberlaine Miss M. B. Chamberlaine, Mrs. C. P. Thurston, Miss Jane and Master Thurston, Miss Dora Goldthwaite, Mrs. M. Lawrence, Miss C. White, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Chandler, the Misses Bagen, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Vose, Mrs. Charles Acker, the Misses Acker, Mrs. S. J. Brinkerhoff and Mrs. H.

A. Babcock, of Brooklyn. The Maplewood is the home of these Yorkers: Miss Means, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Eytinge, Mrs. L. W. Parker and C. G. Trussell.

Franconia has recently received these: Mrs. William Strange, Miss G. A. Read, Miss Bessie Reese, Albert S. Reese and Mrs. William J. Conk-ling, all of New-York.

At Twin Mountain are Mrs. L. R. Whitehead, Edward R. Whitehead, Miss Riller, S. H. Wolf, of New-York and George E. Shaw, of Brooklyn. Late comers at the Crawford House from New-ork are Dr. C. H. Babcock, Mrs. A. J. Johnson, Irs. Stanley Matthews, E. McMillan, jr., and

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New-Yorkers at Sugar Hill include George F. Sutterworth and Mrs. Butterworth, Forrest Butterworth, the Rev. and Mrs. Merle St. Croix Vright, Miss Elizabeth Wright, Miss Marguertie iall and W. Merritt Post. terworth, the Rey, and Mrs. Merie St. Cross Wright, Miss Elizabeth Wright, Miss Marguerite Hall and W. Merritt Post.
Quiet Campton has, among others, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Tippet and the Misses McKee, of New-York. Whitefield's late arrivals include Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Loveman and family, Mrs. J. N. Olcott and the Misses Olcott, of New-York, and Mrs. R. P. Merritt, with three daughters, of Brooklyn.
Mr. and Mrs. Alexander H. Small and Miss Suste Small, of New-York, and Mr. and Mrs. William D. Chase, of Brooklyn, are at Bartlett.
Fabyan's list has been augmented by the arrival of H. Percy Pohalski, Edward R. Pohalski, C. H. Rosenbaum and family, and Mrs. E. Rosenbaum, of New-York, The Mount Pleasant House has these additions: Dr. and Mrs. R. V. Waldo and Miss Waldo, of New-York, and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Cole, Miss A. Edith Cole and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Smith, of Hoboken.

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At the Profile House are Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Fulton, fr., F. W. Kent, Mr. and Mrs. William Halls,
of New-York, and Mrs. I. R. Tuttle, of Brooklyn.

The East Side is also having its lively days,
and at Jackson these New-Yorkers are among the
recently arrived: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ernst, the
Misses Ernst, Harry Ernst, Miss. W. C. Heisenbittle, Miss A. Boschen, Mr. and Mrs. Ludyard
Avery, Also Mr. and Mrs. Alexander H. Smail, of
Brooklyn.

SOCIETY AT NARRAGANSETT.

POLO GAMES ATTRACT MANY-RECEPTION Narrayansett Pter, R. L. Aug. 5 (Special) - The

faces of the hotel proprietors indicate that if this is not the zenith of the season at Narragansett have been more than ordinarily brilliant. Last was a prominent figure in the dancing, opening the ccasion with Mrs William E. Carter, of Philadelphia. At the conclusion of the hop Mr. Vander-

senson will be the ball and reception to be ten-dered to Governor Ellehn Dyer of Rhode Island nd his staff, on the evening of next Tuesday, by Richard H. Stearns, the new proprietor of the Gladstone Hotel. Governor Dyer has accepted the invitation for himself and staff, and the guests at the other hotels have been invited. It is expected that the members of the British Embassy and the Earl of Yarmouth will also be present. There is to be an all-comers' handleap golf tour-nament for men at the South County Golf Club-grounds, August II, entries for which will be re-ceived by Mrs. F. W. Moulton, of Wakefield, up to August 8.

August 8.

Miss Dean Blaine and Conner Coppinger, of Washington, grandchildren of the late James G. Blaine, are guests at the Arlington.

The children's annual lawn fête at the Mathewson House is announced for next Tuesday even-

ing.

The Tuesday evening hop at the Rockingham riouse was a successful affair. The new ballroom is proving popular.

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George J. Gould's yacht, the Atslanta, arrived here last Saturday. Mr. Gould was an active participant in the pole tournament, staying as long as possible prior to his departure for Europe.

James K. Hackett and Mrs. Mary Mannering Hackett, the actors, have arrived at the Inmerial.

The Senate Finance Committee has again been in session at Narragansett, but owing to the fact that they are here distinctly for work, the members have not accepted any social invitations.

Greene's lin, the only all-around-year hotel here, is the headquarters of the Boston contingent. The inn has been well filled

Among the hundreds of recent arrivals from New-York may be mentioned General H. Duryea, Mrs. Edward Mannara and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Duane Pell, S. W. Hong, fr., Mr. and Mrs. William Pratt Lyman, H. J. Hayne, J. Elder Leech, Alexander T. Mason, Hoffman Miller, Henry C. Payne and Mr and Mrs. E. D. Denew.

Owing to the agitation against the nickel-in-the-slot gambling machines, many of the hotel proprietors have sent them away, and there is much less gambling machines, many of the hotel proprietors have sent them away, and there is much less gambling nachines, many of the hotel proprietors have sent them away, and there is much less gambling nachines, many of the hotel proprietors have sent them away, and there is much less gambling nachines, many of the hotel proprietors have sent them away, and there is much less gambling nachines, many of the hotel proprietors have sent them away, and there is much less gambling nachines, many of the hotel proprietors have sent them away, and there is much less gambling nachines, many of the hotel proprietors have sent them away, and there is much less gambling nachines, many of the hotel proprietors have sent them away, and there is much less gambling machines, many of the hotel proprietors have sent them away, and there is much less gambling machines, many of the hotel prop

HOTELS AT BLOCK ISLAND FILLED.

MONTH OF AUGUST OPENS WELL FOR PRO PRIETORS.

Block Island, R. I., Aug. 5 (Special).-The last week has been the most delightful so far as weather is concerned of any in the present season. Many guests have arrived at the various hotels who are booked to remain until September The hotel proprietors will unquestionably obtain a handsome profit from their August business. Golf, tennis baseball and croquet are much in vogue, outdoor amusements as usual being the predominating feature. Many have taken advan tage of the beautiful weather for driving our poses, visiting the various points of interest he found. The drive to Mohegan Bluffs is the most popular, on account of the heautiful pano view of the ocean to be obtained at that point for many miles in every direction. An attempt has been made for a number of years

to make Block Island a winter as well as a summer resort. It is said that the temperature of the island during the entire winter is at least twenty degrees milder than it is upon the mainland. This is probably due to the fact of the near proximity of the Gulf Stream.

The migratory bluefish again appeared in the vicinity in the latter part of the week, and are now running in large schools, many being captured Governor Elisha Dyer, of Providence, has been

guest at the island during the week, A fancy dress ball was given at the Ocean View to-night, which was largely attended by the guests of that house and other hotels.

The new steamer, Warwick, formerly the Day
Star, the vessel having been rebuilt, since the fire

which destroyed the inside of her, has again been placed in service on the line of the Provi-dence, Fall River and Newport Steamboat Com-pany, running between Fall River and Newport at present.

Salvador de Mendonca, formerly Brazillan Minister to this country, who had been staying here with

Salvador country, who had been staying here with his family for two or three weeks, started on Wednesday for New-York, whence he sails for Rio Janeiro to-day. William W. Rockhill, ex-United States Minister

to Greece, is the guest of J. Deming Perkins at Bayberry Lodge, on the Mohegan Bluffs.
Colonel Edward L. Cole, of New-York, who is an old timer at Mannisses, is here for the season.
The new telephone line has been completed, making connection with the Valil cottages and other places at Mohegan Bluffs.
Among the New-Yorkers registered in the last week here are H. R. Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Coffin, Mrs. B. B. McCullock, E. B. Hendor, jr., H. C. Sherwood, W. I. Diekenson, J. L. Manning, John T. Clarke, C. B. Childs, W. R. S. Carly, Dr. L. Coffin, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Badgley, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Vorhans, Miss Bessle Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Miller, Jeremiah Hayes, Miss Mamie M. Hayes, Miss Heien R. Hayes, Miss Julia L. Hayes, Henry Mann. Maurice De Levante, F. H. Mansfield, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Boyd, John D. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Freeman and William J. Thompson. Frontenac, N. Y. Also proprietor of

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Shelter Island, Aug. 5 (Special).—The recent tea at the Shelter Island Yacht Club was a pleasant affair. For the same afternoon was scheduled the third special regatta of the yacht club. The race was open to catboats from 18 to 22 feet from Sag Harbor and Greenport. Two of the Maxwell boats were in the race. The Oiseau won in her class. She is a new Herreshoff boat. Another Maxwell boat that was also a winner in her class was the Possum.

Adolph Schilz, of the Dyker Meadow Club, has charge of the Shelter Island golf links this season. Early in May Mr. Schilz began operations. Old roads were filled and levelled, trees were removed or trimmed, bushes uprooted and stones carted away. For another season still greater improvements are promised.

Saturday was an exceedingly busy day. From the golf club tea many drove directly to the yacht tea. Mrs. James S. Weir, assisted by Mrs. F. D. H. Behrends, received the guests, to the number of three hundred.

During a short lull in affairs, La Petite Josephine was heard in character sketches and songs in the Manhanset Music Hall. Little Josephine gave imitations of Anna Held and Vesta Tilley.

The first of August has brought many people to the island. Bathing has been fine through the nummer. On some of the cooler days the thermometer registered 70 degrees. For a long time temperature remained at 72 and 73 degrees. Swimming lessons are particularly popular among The progressive euchre party at the Prospec

House was largely attended. The prizes were lainty and well chosen. the dancing and all entertainments at the Prospect

House this season. Miss Katherine Lewis, formerly of Daly's Thea-

tre, was heard in Audran's opera of "Olivette Tuesday evening. There is soon to be a children's carnival and a

german at the Prospect House.

Raseball continues in popular favor on the island,
Among those at the Manhanset House are Robert D. Reynolds, East Orange, N. J.; S. O. Lockwood, fr. New-York; W. T. Hart, R. P. Hart, A.
W. Corning, M. C. Parsons, Miss Marguerite F.
Burnet, Plainfield, N. J.; I. T. Burr, Boston; Dr.
E. M. Fauld, New-York; Miss Truax, Mr. and
Mrs. Charles C. Burnet, Miss Burnet and Miss Ida
W. Force, Plainfield, N. J.
Among recent golfers have been Messrs, Farrelly, Thomson, Lane, Logan, Wallace, Cook, Rue,
Flacen, Oris, Burns, Platt and Jurgensen; Mrs.
Frances Schroeder, Miss Anna Burns, the Misses
Manning, Miss Molly Andrews, Miss Gertrude Pickhardt, Miss Bushnell, Miss Marion Keep, Miss
Belle Andrews, Miss Ida Rue and the Misses
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THE LONG ISLAND RESORTS.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR GUESTS.

Patchogue, Long Island, Aug. 5.-The social sea on at this resort has now reached its full tide in numbers and activity, and one of the most pros percus summers ever known here is likely to be full complements of guests, and the conventiona The sweltering heat of the last week has caused

an almost total abandonment of the minor social activity which earlier in the season occupied so prominent a place, and aquatic sports are holding full sway. Excursions to the beach, where shore dinners are given, are exceedingly popular.

Among the recent New-York arrivals at the different hotels have been:
Ocean Avenue George P. Meindell, W. H. Chester, W. H. Schutzler, Louis Frank, Leo Doblin, Maurice B. Blumenthal, Mrs. L. Hirsch, Bryon P. Henry, W. R. De Karta, Harry Kreamer, Miss I. Hirsch, Albert Hochster, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dewett, H. Levy and Dr. F. H. Boynton.
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ALONG THE SOUTH SHORE. ENTERTAINMENTS AT SAYVILLE, BAY SHORE

Sayville, Long Island, August 5 (Special) .- Mrs. Chittenden, who is staying at The Delayan, Sayville. Those who were invited to meet Mrs. Chit-tenden were Mrs. Kintsing Post, Mrs. Upton, Mrs. John Ellis Roosevelt, Mrs. Joseph Wood, Miss Grey and Miss Cooper, On August 10 at the Prospect House, Bay Shore

a benefit is to be given to raise a memorial for "Jack" Hogan, a man who saved many lives at Fire Island, and at last lost his life in the effort to save Adelbert Hubert's. The benefit is under the direction of Mr. Hubert, and among the patronesses

are Helen Gould and Miss Maude Adams.

The Gibson tableaus at St. Mark's, Islip—the church which was given to the village by William K. Vanderbilt some years ago-were under the direction of Mrs. Cortlandt Moss, and were well planned and carried out.

At Babylon the Babylon Club, whose members are

or the greater part members of the summer co ony or of old Babylon families, opened a roof garden this week. Ex-Senator Highee acted as toast

den this week. Ex-Senator Highee acted as toastmaster, and addresses were made by John S. Snedicor, Effingham B. Sutton, James G. De Forest,
Harry I. Nicholas, Haywood Prince, W. L. Vandervoort and Matthew Morgan.

The Havemeyer Point property at Babylon,
known as the Armory, has been sold to Henry
Conklin, of Now-York.

The summer visitors at Patchogue are rather
quiet this year, and the task of devising and giving
entertainments fails mostly upon the "natives."

The vaudeville given by the Sorosis was so successful that there is talk of repeating the entertainment. Mr. and Mrs. Grandin, of Deepdene, are
to give "The Attorney's Wife" in the Lyceum on
August 16.

Miss Newcomb entertains a great deal on board
the revenue cutter, and Mrs. Wilmot Smith, who
also believes in out of door entertainments in
summer time, has given a number of wagonette
parties.

MORRISTOWN NEWS. Mr. and Mrs. Elbert S. Kip are occupying Rure-

mont during the absence of George G. Kip and family on their Western trip. The Rev. Godfrey Brinley, who has spent the last month in Morristown, has joined a camping party in Canada,

Henry Harrison Walker, of South-st., is at Ray Head. Mr. and Mrs. George B. Raymond and family will spend August in Maine.

Misses Keasbey, of Miller Road, have turned from Europe. Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Vernam and family are at Fisher's Island.

Miss Lewis, of England, is the guest of her aunt Mrs. William Youngs Marsh, of De Hart-st. Mr. and Mrs. William E. Wheelock are spending the summer on Long Island.

Frederick Wood, of Macculloch-ave., is in the South of England for the summer. Mrs. Robert S. Bushnell, Miss Eleanor Bushnell and Douglas Bushnell safled last week for Holland. Mr. and Mrs. J. Lowrie Bell are in Jamestown,

R. I. Mrs. Swords and the Misses Swords are spending Mrs. Swords and the Misses Swords are spending August at Nantucket.
Mrs. Murray S. Day, who has been spending the last month at Jamestown, has joined Mrs. F. S. Hoyt at Castine, Me.
The Rev. Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Hughes and family will spend August at Undercliff, Lake Placid.
Dr. P. C. Barker sails for Europe next week.
Miss Sophie Poor, of Franklin-st., is spending August at the seashore.
Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Miller sailed for Liverpool last Wednesday.
Augustus L. Revere is at Bar Harbor.
A. G. Roper sailed last week on the Lucania, to remain until October.
The Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Hibbard will spend this month on the New-Jersey coast.
A. R. Whitney and family are in the Adirondacks.

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